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The firemen meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock at the engine house to be measured for their uniforms.

The Order of Eastern Star now meets in the new Masonic Hall Thursday evening on or before the full moon.

FOR SALE—2 Milch Cows, 13 Jersey; one Jersey calf; one 3-year-old colt; one San Jose Iron Riding Cultivator, catalogue price \$65, for \$40. A. DRAHMS.

On Thursday morning, while at work in Shocken's quarry, Henry Matson of Sonoma, suffered a serious injury of the right eye from the impact of a sharp piece of stone. The tissues of the eye were lacerated and much blood effused.

Charley Hay, late of Oakland, has purchased the Hi Lo Laundry, and in future will conduct the same, due notice of which is given in another column over his own signature. Charley is very intelligent and polite and withal a first-class laundryman.

The Trustees of the Home for Feeble Minded Children at Glen Ellen have re-elected Mrs. Ariel Lathrop President for the ensuing year. The application of 325 children is now on file. They will be accommodated as soon as the Home is completed.

Cheap for Cash—For sale at Bulger's, Agua Caliente—a good express wagon, open buggy, new and second hand harness, saddles, bridle, halters, etc., stoves. Also furniture, beds and bedding. Best curled hair mattresses made to order. A new bed and mattress for \$3.00. Staple groceries and general merchandise.

The attention of our readers is called to the new advertisement of the "Pioneer Saloon," which appears in another column. Mr. F. Grothaus, the proprietor, is well-known to the people of this valley as being a most polite and agreeable host, and his saloon rooms are supplied with the very best of wines, liquors and cigars.

A fine business property in Sonoma is offered for sale in this issue. The property is renting at the present time for \$60 per month with three tenants. For years this property has never been unoccupied. Title perfect. The property is located on Napa street and will be sold for \$6,000. Terms easy. For further particulars apply to H. H. Granice, Sonoma.

Horn & R. Evans, representing Evans Bros. & Co., proprietors of the Cypress Hill Cemetery Works, Petaluma, was in town several days this week on business connected with his firm. The Messrs. Evans have already done some excellent work in Mountain Cemetery the past year. Their prices are reasonable and work first-class. At the present time they have several orders on hand to erect tombstones in the above cemetery. We take pleasure in recommending this firm to the people of Sonoma Valley.

Chas. Read of Yolo county and Wm. Hamilton of San Francisco, were in town last Tuesday. Both gentlemen are prominent agriculturists, the former having been President of the State Board of Horticulture for a number of years. The object of their visit to Sonoma Valley was the inspection of that portion of the meadow lands on the Senator Jones tract recently reclaimed by W. B. Pless of this place. Both gentlemen expressed themselves as being highly pleased with the success of the reclamation project and the fertility of the Sonoma meadow lands which border the shores of San Pablo bay and Sonoma creek.

Mr. Julius Dresel, who has resided in Sonoma Valley for the past twenty-two years, leaves for his old home in Germany next week, where he will probably reside in the future. Mr. Dresel's departure will be regretted by a host of friends in this valley. Mr. Carl Dresel, his son, will assume charge of his vineyard and wine interests in Sonoma. Mr. Dresel has always taken a leading part in advancing the viticultural interests of Sonoma, and to him is due, probably more than to any other one man, the perfection reached by our dry white wines. Mr. Dresel came to the United States in 1847 and located in Texas, where he resided until 1869, when he settled in this valley. Mr. Dresel's retirement from business at the ripe age of 75 years is not necessitated on account of his health as he is still bright and active mentally and physically.

EASTER.

Services in the Various Churches—Beautiful Decorations.

Last Sunday was observed by all Christians as the greatest religious holiday of the year. The day was ushered in bright and beautiful with the singing of birds, the opening of flowers and the hillsides arrayed with soft green mantles. The orchards and gardens sent out new buds, all to make more impressive the thought of Christ who had risen. In Sonoma Valley nearly all our people assembled at the different places of worship. The services in the churches were very impressive, the sermons instructive and entertaining, the decorations attractive, and the service of song was sweeter than usual. Below we give an account of the great event as observed in the churches of Sonoma.

METHODIST CHURCH.

At the M. E. Church Easter was observed in an appropriate manner. The decorations were very handsome. Some pretty green wreaths composed of yellow marigolds with here and there large bouquets of beautiful white flowers made a scene not soon forgotten. The morning service opened with an illustrated lecture appropriate to the day by Mrs. Trudgen, wife of the minister, which was followed by the Rev. Mr. Trudgen who spoke to the congregation on the Resurrection of Christ. At the praise service in the evening some fine singing was rendered by the choir. Miss Emma admirably sang a vocal solo and Misses Lena Shaw and Grace Trudgen, a vocal duet. These little girls have remarkably sweet voices and pleased all who heard them. With several recitations and remarks by the minister the evening was delightfully spent by the large number who attended.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.

At St. Francis' Church the altars were beautifully decorated with a profusion of calla lilies, ferns and choice flowers. Noticeable were numerous candles lit and placed on the altars among the lovely flowers. The handsome side altars were equally well arranged with roses, ferns and lilies. Large vases filled with calla lilies stood at each side. The flowers and candles were so arranged and grouped that they presented a pretty sight. In the morning at 8 o'clock-mass was celebrated at which a large number attended. The children's choir sang appropriate hymns. At 10 a. m. High Mass was celebrated by the pastor Rev. J. J. Sullivan. The choir was perhaps the best that has been heard for some time in Sonoma. Rev. Father Chiappi, S. J. of St. Ignace's College, San Francisco, preached an eloquent sermon on the Resurrection, which was listened to throughout with marked attention. After mass came the benediction, at which Miss Ryan of San Francisco sang "O Salutaris." Her sweet contralto voice was heard to good advantage.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

At the Congregational the interior of the church was beautifully decorated with choice flowers, white lilies, ferns and palms, pretty bouquets in vases and delicate flowers arranged in appropriate designs. In varied colored flowers the church never looked as lovely as it did on Easter morning. The services began at 11 a. m., at which the Rev. Dr. Reid preached an appropriate sermon. The organ, under the direction of Mrs. H. H. Davis, pealed forth sweet melody. The choir had been strengthened for the occasion and consisted of the following: Mrs. Amy Pauli, Clara Cheney, Zoe Clark, Bertha Campbell, Josie Collins, Claire Hope, S. McHarvey, Sadie Wise, J. Sharp, Oscar Campbell and Herbert Shaw. In the evening a special Easter entertainment had been provided, at which the Rector Rev. David Reid, delivered an address in his usual instructive manner. There was also a number of songs and recitations by the Sunday School, all given in honor of Eastertide.

DEPARTURE OF OLD RESIDENTS.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ehrlich and family left for Alameda last Thursday, where they have taken up a permanent residence. Mr. and Mrs. Ehrlich have resided in this valley for many years, the latter having come here in 1854. It was here they were married and raised a family of children. For thirty years Mr. Ehrlich had resided continuously upon his farm near this place, but finding that grape culture and wine-making had ceased to be profitable he recently abandoned his vineyard and wine-cellar to engage in some more lucrative calling. These good people will be greatly missed by their many friends in Sonoma Valley, who wish them prosperity in their new home.

WHITE WINE SALE.

Henry Weyl disposed of his vintage of 1886 and 1889, one day this week, comprising several thousand gallons of white dry wine. The purchase was made by Carl Dresel. The price received was 22 cents per gallon. This purchase was necessitated owing to an increasing demand in the East for Sonoma Valley white wines, which Mr. Dresel makes a specialty of handling.

ENCOURAGE HOME INDUSTRIES.

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CITY TRUSTEES.

An Inspid Meeting--That Offending Hitching Post--Down She Goes--Bills Ordered Paid.

The City Trustees met in regular monthly session last Wednesday evening. The meeting was utterly devoid of interest, although a full Board was present. The attention of the Board for the most part was taken up in discussing that solitary little old skinny hitching post in front of the residence of H. H. Granice, who ought to be run out of town for maintaining such a nuisance. That post should be erected in the middle of the sidewalk instead of occupying its present position on the outside of the curbing, because, you know, in its present location it interferes with no one. As the future prosperity of Sonoma hinges on the removal of that offending hitching post, down she goes.

After the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, which were adopted, the members squarred themselves and got down to business.

Trustee Henry Weyl, who looks after the fire and water interests of the city, recommended the erection of a water hydrant near the Pavilion for use of the Fire Company. Also that a female coupling, (what-ever that may mean,) be procured for the hose of the fire engine. Ah, there, Henry, have a care! The Board being in an amiable mood, it being an off night on kicking, beamed pleasantly at one another, and Mr. Weyl's proposition was favorably considered.

Trustee V. Bulotti, who keeps his weather eye open to look after the street and sidewalk interests, reported that Messrs. Duhring, McHarvey, Granice and others were not complying with the order of the Board in regard to the sidewalks in front of their premises. No action.

The monthly bills were then taken up and the following allowed: Thos. Ellis, labor, \$10; J. Linehan, labor, \$8.50; J. B. Small, contract, \$78; Lee Bulotti, labor, \$18; Wm. Stone, labor, \$15.50; E. Wegner, money advanced, \$32.

Ordinance No. 41 was called up for a second reading, but was laid over.

The Board then adjourned for another month to reconvene for their labors of the night.

TROUT SALMON OPTICAL.

The close season for trout expired last Wednesday and in consequence Sonoma creek was swarming with fishermen on that day. Some fine catches were made by Sol Carriger, Joe Anderson and other local anglers, but by far the greater number of fishermen returned with almost empty baskets. The city sport, as usual, caught few fish, and more than one was heard to remark that the stream was fished out long before the season opened, but for all that there are a dozen anglers in this town who can go out any day within the next six months and with hook and line catch all the way from fifty to two hundred trout in Sonoma creek, and that, too, over the very same ground fished by the city visitor. The fact of the matter is Sonoma creek is swarming with trout. They are there if you only know how to find them and kill them.

BASALT BLOCKS.

At a meeting of the San Francisco Supervisors, held last Monday evening, the paving problem was finally settled by passing an ordinance providing for four kinds of pavement to be used on the streets of that city. The ordinance is favorable to paving blocks and its passage is a victory for basalt pavement over bitumen. The ordinance provides that the former is to be laid on a sand foundation. This is what our block men have been contending for and we may now expect to see a revival of the basalt block industry in Sonoma, which has been almost at a standstill for over eighteen months.

IDLE RAMOR.

There is a rumor once more going the rounds that the Donahue Railroad is soon to become the property of the Southern Pacific Company and the road through Sonoma abandoned. We caution our people to place very little reliance in all rumors bearing on these two roads. Even though the Donahue railroad should sell out to the Southern Pacific, we can see no good reason while the road should not be operated through this place. The rumor was evidently started owing to the fact that the rival roads are to have a union depot at Shellville for the accommodation of shippers of fruit to Eastern markets.

Wanted.—The consent of 10,000 smokers.—To send each, a sample lot of 150 "NICKLE" Cigars and a 20 year gold filled watch, by Express C. O. D. \$5.25 and allow examination.—HAVANA CIGAR CO., Winston, N. C.

TAKE YOUR LOCAL PAPER.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

E. Gilbert was up from the city for several days the past week.

Mrs. Cassebohm of Shellville was visiting friends in Sonoma Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Kelley was the guest of her friend Miss Edith Gillan last Sunday.

J. B. Badger of Agua Caliente is reported to be in a critical state of health.

Fred. Duhring of San Francisco visited his mother at this place last Sunday.

Mrs. R. J. Keogh of San Francisco is visiting her daughter Mrs. Granice.

Mrs. Eschbach and Mrs. McIntyre visited Napa City several days last week.

Miss Pauline Robia came up from the city last Saturday to visit in Sonoma.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hotz and little son Ralph visited relatives in Napa Sunday.

Henry Castagnacci, the vegetable dealer, is convalescent from a severe attack of quinsy.

Mrs. Chas. Engelbert has been on the sick list for several days, but is now convalescent.

The infant child of Ed. Mann of Agua Caliente has recovered from a sharp attack of croup.

Henry Weyl, A. J. Van Every and S. Shocken went to San Francisco Monday on business.

Mrs. Thierkoff and daughter of Glen Ellen were visiting friends in Sonoma last Wednesday.

Charley Champlain is reported to be improving rapidly from the effects of his recent accident.

Mrs. Cady, accompanied by her little daughter, were guests at the Baldwin Hotel, several days the past week.

Mrs. Theo. Welscholt has been seriously ill at her home on Spain street, but is now convalescent out of danger.

Miss Elma Wiseman of Santa Rosa has returned home after a week's pleasant visit with her friend Miss Grace Lyon.

E. Gilbert is up from the city for a three days' visit to friends. During his sojourn he will take in the trout streams of the valley.

J. A. Lossee of Central Farm, Broadway, we regret to hear, has been ailing for some weeks past and is now in bed, disabled by illness.

Maria, youngest child of Antonio Cominatti of Napa, is convalescing from typhoid fever, complicated with pneumonia.

Mrs. Sarah Wessel, who left Sonoma last June for Ireland, returned Friday evening of last week, and is now stopping at the residence of Judge Cheney.

Dr. E. J. Laro finds that on account of his engagement to demonstrate in the San Francisco Dental College, it will be possible for him in future to be in his Sonoma office only on Sundays.

Rev. A. Drahm has been appointed Chaplain of the State Prison at San Quentin. He entered upon his discharge of his duty last Wednesday. His family will join him in the near future.

A pleasant afternoon tea was tendered Mrs. F. Ehrlich on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Moore. At 4 o'clock the invited guests repaired to the dining room, where a sumptuous repast was partaken, after which all departed wishing Mrs. Ehrlich prosperity in her new home.

E. E. Oulevey, Superintendent of Kohler & Frohling's vineyard and winery at Glen Ellen, left for France last Tuesday to visit the scenes of his boyhood. He will return next September. During Mr. Oulevey's absence Mr. Hussman, son of Prof. Hussman of Napa county, will assume his duties as Superintendent.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Schocken of this place will start for Europe on the 20th inst. They will make an extended tour of the Old World and will be absent until next September. Mr. Schocken is one of Sonoma's most successful business men and returns to the scenes of his youth after an absence of 29 years.

The wedding of Mr. R. M. Smith of Oakland and Miss Louisa Gross of this place took place Wednesday morning, the 25th inst., at the Congregational Church, Oakland. Rev. Mr. Cook officiating. Mr. William Keating and Miss M. Gross, sister of the bride, acted as best man and bridesmaid respectively. The wedding was a quiet one, only the relatives of the bride and groom and most intimate friends being present. After the ceremony a sumptuous breakfast was partaken of, when the happy couple left on the afternoon train for a trip in the southern part of the State. When they return they will make Oakland their permanent home. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were the recipients of many handsome presents.

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GLEN ELLEN GOSSIP.

Walter Justi was quite seriously bitten by a dog last Sunday.

John T. Peters was up last Sunday shaking hands with his many friends in this vicinity.

Clay, the little son of H. L. Luttrell, died to-day. His complaint was membranous sore throat.

Church services will be held at the school house every Sunday at 10 A. M. instead of 3 P. M., as heretofore.

Mine host Harrison is papering, painting and otherwise ornamenting his hotel and grounds for the summer.

John Driscoll, brother of Mrs. W. Sobbe, was up last Sunday visiting relatives. He returned home the same day.

The first picnic of the season will take place next Sunday, when the National Club of San Francisco will hold forth.

J. Willson is tearing down and newly building up his premises, preparing for the picnics commencing next Sunday.

There is considerable demand at present for house room. The hotels are crowded and the farmers hereabouts are taking boarders.

F. M. Luttrell will represent Glen Ellen Parlor, No. 102, N. S. G. W., at the meeting of the Grand Parlor in Santa Rosa this month.

Miss Florence Glennan, the teacher in the public school at this place, is giving satisfaction as a teacher and is much liked by the pupils.

Wm. Kennedy, father of Chas. Kennedy, aged 80 years, died yesterday morning of paralysis. He will be buried in Santa Rosa to-morrow.

The closing out sale and the consequent reduction in prices at the store of C. O. Borman for the past week has brought lots of people to town.

Wm. Schmidt has disposed of his blacksmith business to V. D. Heide of San Francisco. Mr. Heide is a practical blacksmith and will undoubtedly do well.

Henry Coops, the popular saloon man, has sold his right, title and interest in his saloon to N. R. Hansen of Petaluma, who will hereafter conduct the same. Mr. Coops contemplates a trip to the vanderland.

In taking a stroll through the lower portion of Bennett Valley last week we noticed the farms of Shinn, Bones, Stockings and Legg in a high state of cultivation, in fact everybody in that locality is busy.

Some six or seven boys may be seen daily jumping off and on the trains while in motion. In our opinion it is a dangerous pastime and if continued will undoubtedly end in a broken limb or death.

WIDE AWAKE.

Glen Ellen, March 31, 1891.

Congregational Church.

The Rev. Dr. Reid of Victoria, B. C., will occupy his son's pulpit to-morrow (Sunday), both morning and evening. The Rev. David H. Reid has gone to the city to be present at a reception to be given in honor of the Rev. Geo. Burrows, D. D., Prof. of Hebrew and Greek Exegesis in the Presbyterian Theological College, San Francisco, when a testimonial will be presented to him by some of his former and present students as a token of their affection, love and esteem. The Professor has just attained his 80th birthday. Mr. Reid is a graduate of the above college. All are cordially invited to attend the services to-morrow.

Card from Mr. Julius Dresel.

I start this week to return to my old home in Europe for a long period. I bid my fellow citizens good bye and leave them my best wishes for their welfare.

JULIUS DRESEL.

Sonoma, April 2, 1891.

The most of our ailments come from disordered liver which Simmons Liver Regulator cures.

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Mrs. Wilkinson, wife of Prof. Wilkinson, has been confined to her home by illness the past week.

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